

# County Gridders Face Tough Foes This Week

Washington-Lee High School may have disposed of Gonzaga last Friday without too much commotion, but if the Generals can get by the Woodrow Wilson Presidents down in Portsmouth this coming Friday, the upset news will be echoed from one end of the Old Dominion to the other. Woodrow Wilson has just racked up its third straight win of the season by shutting out a previously undefeated Norview eleven, 21-0, on Friday. Portsmouth's other two wins included a 12-6 win over Hopewell and a 20-0 triumph over a neighboring South Norfolk High School.

Meanwhile Wakefield High School prepares for its Saturday game against Falls Church High School which surprised a lot of folks by beating Mt. Vernon last Friday afternoon by a 6-0 score. Falls Church now has a 1-2 mark for the season while Mt. Vernon has been reduced to the same won and lost record at the present time just two weeks off from its scheduled October 15 date here against Washington-Lee.

One week later the Generals will be slated to meet Bladensburg which went down into defeat, 20-7 to Blair, for its first loss of the season against two earlier wins.

Thomas Jefferson with a 13-7 win over Andrew Lewis of Salem in its opener the week before, has now generated such a heated argument with Petersburg High School following a power failure during last Friday's game that it has now become possible to expect almost any kind of agreement, or none at all.

The squabble developed last Friday night 7½ minutes after the two undefeated Central District clubs, Petersburg and Thomas Jefferson of Richmond, had begun play at Richmond's City Stadium.

Teejay scored on a 61-yard march then recovered a Petersburg fumble on the Crimson Wave 31 and moved to the 1 on two 15-yard penalties against the Wave. Quarterback Jimmy Hartz fumbled on the next play just as half the

stadium lights went out because of a blown transformer.

Halfback David Morion of Petersburg grabbed the ball on the 5 and ran 95 yards for an apparent touchdown, but a Petersburg player was detected offside and Teejay was given possession half a yard from the goal. The lights couldn't be turned on, however, and the game was called.

The rhubarb developed over whether the two teams should begin all over again on Saturday or start at the point Friday night's contest was halted. Teejay favored the former, naturally, while Petersburg Coach Randy Mallory said his school officials wouldn't play under those conditions.

Howard Richardson, executive secretary of the Virginia High School League, said a decision was up to the two coaches. If they couldn't agree, he said, the Central District Board would have to rule.

Washington-Lee will play host to Thomas Jefferson here on Friday night, October 29.

Hampton High School which the Generals meet still two weeks later on Friday, November 12, has now lost its second straight game, by an 18-7 score to Maury of Norfolk.

George Washington High School of Alexandria has now wrapped up three straight wins so far this season, having thumped a powerful Hopewell High School eleven, 28-20, following prior wins over Woodrow Wilson of the District and also a neighboring Fairfax High School.

Other Wakefield opponents not already mentioned who also played this past weekend include Garfield's 14-0 win over John Marshall of Fredericksburg after having dropped its opener to the Washington-Lee Junior Varsity.

**PITTSBURGH (P)**—Johnny Hetki, relief pitcher for the Pittsburgh Pirates, figures it's good to be on relief.

After making 50 relief appearances for the Pirates, Hetki was given a starting role against the Cubs. He lost 4-1.